Dear State of Connecticut Energy & Technology Committee,

Please accept my support and input in favor of SB #106.

Senate <u>Bill No. 106</u> would allow Millstone to bid on state contracts and sell power directly to the state, supporting Millstone as it adjusts to changing trends and help our state continue to build the bridge we need to a future that embraces renewable energy and while also protecting ratepayers.

Millstone is a tremendous asset to Connecticut, providing over half the power that people use in our state every day. It also provides southeastern Connecticut with jobs and is an engine of economic growth for the entire state. Ensuring Millstone stays open is vital to Connecticut's economy and energy consumers.

As a business owner in our state, we simply cannot lose any more jobs as they are what truly drive all of our economy. Millstone is a proven commodity and must remain open.

Thank You,

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